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EXPOSURE TO A MONOCHROMATIC LIGHT SOURCE  
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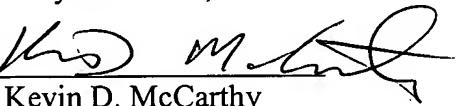
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The applicant elects Group I of claims 1-26 and 36-81, with traverse.

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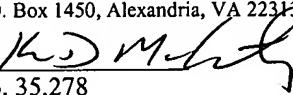
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